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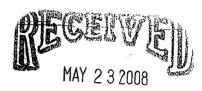
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Appeal of Enforcement Order, TDEC-OGC 20th Floor L & C Tower 401 Church Street Nashville, TN 37243-1548

VEPT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATE OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

RE: Case No. WPC08-0077 Richmond Hill Development, Inc.

Dear TDEC Office of General Counsel:

The purpose of this letter is to secure review of the Director's Order and Assessment (Order) that was issued in connection with Richmond Hill Development, Inc. (Richmond Hill Development). This law firm represents Richmond Hill Development. Richmond Hill Development is requesting a hearing before the Water Quality Control Board. Michael Smith, the owner representative of Richmond Hill, did not receive the Order and Assessment until April 25, 2008. Therefore, this written petition for review is timely.

The following are our contentions:

- 1) The loans relating to the Richmond Hill Development property (site) are currently in foreclosure.
- 2) Mr. Smith and a representative for the bank that is in the process of foreclosing said loans met recently on the site with an environmental consultant. The consultant stated that Richmond Hill's actions on the site have partially contributed to the damage referred to in the Order. However, the consultant found that two other parties have contributed to the damage referred to in the Order. First, there is upstream damage in the unnamed tributary to the Coleman river, thought to be caused by the Arden Village Development. Second, there is damage in the stream that is thought to be caused by the installation of a sewer line by Sterling Marlin.
- 3) Since the Order was inaccurate in the damages assessment, especially considering the two other purported sources of the damages that the Order failed to recognize,

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it should be reviewed. Therefore, we request a hearing before the Water Quality Control Board.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Michael Smith